Income Tax raids in different Cities

2017. SHRI JAGESH DESAI: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) details of raids conducted by income tax authorities in different cities, particularly on industrial and business houses during last three months;

(b) details of contraband, narcotic drugs etc. seized at sea ports and airports in India during the last three months;

(c) value of the material seized under 'a' and 'b' above; and

(d) prosecutions launched in the above cases?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI M.V. CHANDRASHEKHAR MURTHY): (a) to (d) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Permission to United Airlines for Operating Flight Services

2018. SHRI DINESHBHAI TRIVEDI: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that United Airlines have been given permission to operate flight services to and from various airports in India both East Wards and West Wards; if so, the details of frequency and destinations to and from and the reasons thereof;

(b) whether it is a fact that Cathay Pacific Airlines is also likely to get additional flights between Hongkong and Delhi/other Airports; if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Government are considering to negotiate bilateral agreement with China for flight services between Hongkong/main land China and India, beyond 1996; if so, the details thereof; and

(d) what is the criteria for bilaterals for granting permission to foreign airlines to operate in and out of India, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) A request has been received from United Airlines for operations to/through India. Operating authorisation to United Airlines has not been granted so far.

(b) No agreement has been reached on this issue so far.

(c) While a bilateral Air Services Agreement was signed with China in 1988, the capacity entitlements under this agreement has not been determined yet. The services between Hong Kong and India, however, are covered under India-U.K. Agreement. Action has been initiated to conclude a separate Air Services Agreement with Hong Kong.

(d) Traffic rights to foreign airlines are granted on the basis of reciprocity, keeping in view the demands of tourism, travel and international trade.

विश्वव्यापी वस्त्र बाजार में भारत की स्थिति

2019. **प्रो० राम बक्ष सिंह वर्मा:** क्या वस्त्र मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या यह सच है कि विश्वव्यापी वस्त्र बाजार में भारत को प्रमुख स्थान प्राप्त है;

(ख) क्या यह भी सच है कि विश्वव्यापी वस्त्र बाजार में भारत के अंशदान का प्रतिशत बहुत ही कम है;

(ग) यदि हां, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं; और

(घ) निर्यातों की प्रतिशतता में सुधार करने के लिए क्या कदम उठाये जा रहे हैं?

वस्त्र मंत्री (श्री जी० वेंकटस्वामी): (क) से (घ) गाट के वर्ष 1993 के उपलब्ध अद्यतन आंकड़ों के अनुसार विश्व वस्त्र तथा क्लादिंग निर्यात में भारत का अंशदान 2.6% है। वस्त्र के निर्यात बढ़ाने के लिए सरकार अनेक कदम उठा रही है जिनमें शामिल हैं:— क्रेता-विक्रेता बैठकों, मेलों और प्रदर्शनियों में भाग लेने के लिए निर्यातकों को प्रोत्साहन देना, निर्यात उत्पादन के

लिए रियायती शुल्क पर पूंजीगत माल का आयात करना, निर्यात उत्पादन के लिए कच्चे माल का शुल्क मुक्त आयात करने के लिए विशेष प्रबंध करना, निर्यात ऋण की उपलब्धता बढ़ाने को सुनिश्चित करना आदि।

Dividend paid by Banks

2020. SHRI RAMACHANDRAN PILLAI: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether nationalised banks have been paying dividend to the Government;

(b) if so, what is the basis of fixing the amount of dividend; and

(c) give year-wise dividends paid by each of the 20 banks from 1969 to 1993-94?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI M.V. CHANDRASHEKHAR MURTHY): (a) and (b) In terms of Section 10(7) of the Banking Companies (Acquisition and Transfer of Undertakings) Act, 1970/80, as amended, after making provision for bad and doubtful debts, depreciation in assets, contribution to staff and superannuation funds and all other matters for which provision is necessary under any law or which are usually provided for by banking companies, a nationalised bank may, out of its net profit, declare a dividend and retain the surplus, if any.

(c) Yearwise details of the dividend paid by the nationalised banks for the years 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993 and 1994, as reported by Researve Bank of India, are given in statement.

Statement

Year-wise details of the dividend paid by Nationalised Banks for the Years 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993 and 1994

(Amount in Crores)

	As on March				
	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
1. Allahabad Bank	2.03	2.04	3.11	—	—
2. Andhra Bank	1.75	0.56	0.87	—	—
3. Bank of Baroda	9.25	10.00	15.00	—	5.00
4. Bank of India	7.26	8.49	12.63	—	—
5. Bank of Maharashtra	0.56	0.93	1.44	—	—
6. Canara Bank	8.74	10.02	16.59	1.06	5.35
7. Central Bank of India	2.69	3.48	5.00	—	—
8. Corporation Bank	1.20	1.31	2.00	1.00	1.00
9. Dena Bank	0.25	1.76	2.70	—	—
10. Indian Bank	2.00	3.30	5.00	0.50	—
11. Indian Overseas Bank	1.00	1.74	2.55	—	—
12. New Bank of India	—	—	—	—	—
13. Oriental Bank of Commerce	2.24	2.25	3.38	—	1.00
14. Punjab National Bank	1.50	3.50	5.00	1.01	—
15. Punjab & Sind Bank	—	—	—	—	—
16. Syndicate Bank	0.95	1.04	1.26	—	—
17. Union Bank of India	5.11	2.55	3.85	—	2.00
18. United Bank of India	0.14	0.58	0.50	—	—
19. UCO Bank	0.23	—	—	—	—
20. Vijaya Bank	2.71	—	—	—	—